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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Our Docket No.: P 006)

In re the Application of)

Michael J. Recchia et al.)

Serial No.: 09/727,901)

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For: BAG WITH MESH WALL
PORTION)

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 13, 2003, please amend the following:

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Three Times Amended) A bag for containing products, said bag containing a solid-wall first thermoplastic sheet and a mesh sheet sealed together along side edges to define a bag interior, said bag also defining a first transverse seal between said first thermoplastic sheet and the mesh sheet, said first transverse seal line being spaced from ends of the bag and extending across the width of the bag and proximate to a first end of said bag, said first end comprising said first thermoplastic sheet folded over to define a pair of wall portions, with one of said wall portions and the mesh sheet each having a first end portion joined together with said first seal line, the mesh sheet being spaced from the first bag end; a second transverse seal line defined between and connecting together a second, separate thermoplastic sheet and the mesh sheet, said second seal line being adjacent to a second end of the mesh sheet, which second end is opposed to said first seal line, said second seal line extending across the width of said bag, said